UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SHELIA GREENBERG and BUDDIE GREENBERG,

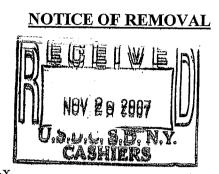
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Plaintiffs,

-against-

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC.,

Defendant.



To The Honorable Judges of The United States District Court for The Southern District of New York:

Removing party, Home Depot U.S.A., Inc. ("Home Depot"), by its attorneys, D'Amato & Lynch, LLP, respectfully shows this Court:

- 1. Home Depot is the defendant in the above-entitled action.
- 2. On or about September 24, 2007, the above-entitled action was commenced against Home Depot by the filing of a summons with notice in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Bronx, under Index No. 301172/07, and is now pending therein. A copy of the Summons & Complaint is annexed as Exhibit "A".
- 3. On or about October 5, 2007, CT Corporation was served with a summons and complaint in the above-entitled action.
 - 4. Home Depot served its Answer to the Complaint on November 12,

2007 along with a Request for a Supplemental Demand. A copy of Home Depot's Answer and Supplemental Demand is annexed as Exhibit "B".

- 5. On or about November 16, 2007, plaintiff responded to Home Depot's Request for a Supplemental Demand by demanding \$2,000,000 in damages. (See Exhibit "C").
- 6. No further proceedings have been held herein in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Bronx.
- 7. Pursuant to plaintiff's Supplemental Demand, the amount in controversy in the above-entitled action, exclusive of interest and costs, exceeds \$75,000.00.
- 8. Plaintiffs', by their own admission, are residents of the State of New York.
- 9. Home Depot is a corporation duly organized and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal office in the State of Georgia.
- 10. The above-entitled action is a personal injury action to recover damages for injuries allegedly sustained by the plaintiff's.
- 11. Plaintiff's allege that her injuries were caused by the negligence of Home Depot.
- 12. This Court has original jurisdiction of the above-entitled action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1332, and the action may therefore be removed to this Court pursuant

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to 28 U.S.C. §1441(b).

13. This notice is timely filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1446.

WHEREFORE, removing party Home Depot U.S.A., Inc. prays that the above-entitled action be removed from the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Bronx to this Court.

Dated: New York, New York November 29, 2007

D'AMATO & LYNCH, LLP

By:

MEGAN MARCHICK, ESQ. Attorneys for Defendant HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. 70 Pine Street New York, New York 10270 (212) 269-0927

To: DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiffs Office & P.O. Box Address 265 Sunrise Highway Rockville Center, NY 11570 (516) 763-6700 Exhibit A

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HOME DEPOT U	.S.A., INC.,	SUMMONS	
•		Plaintiffs reside at	•
	Defendant	3135 Johnson Avenue	
		Bronx, New York 10463	•
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YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the plaintiffs' attorneys within 20 days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service (or within 30 days after the service is complete if this summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York); and in case of your failure to appear or

answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated: Rockville Centre, New York September 17, 2007

To the above-named Defendants:

Yours, etc.

With Spilan

KEITH S. DAVIDSON, ESQ.

DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiffs 265 Sunrise Highway

265 Sunrise Highway

Rockville Centre, New York 11570

(516) 763-6700

Defendant's address:

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. c/o CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY 80 STATE STREET ALBANY, NEW YORK 12207-2543

SUPREM	E COURT OF THE STATE OF NE	W YORK
COUNTY	OF BRONX	

SHEILA GREENBERG and BUDDIE GREENBERG,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

VERIFIED COMPLAINT

Index No. 301172-07

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC.

Defendant.

Plaintiffs, SHEILA GREENBERG and BUDDIE GREENBERG, by their attorneys, DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C., complaining of the defendant herein, respectfully show to this Court and allege:

AS AND FOR A FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION IN FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF, SHEILA GREENBERG:

FIRST: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the plaintiff was an adult resident of the County of Bronx, State of New York.

SECOND: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., was a foreign business corporation duly authorized to transact business in the State of New York.

THIRD: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., was a foreign business corporation doing business in the State of New York.

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FOURTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., owned premises located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

FIFTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., owned the Home Depot store located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

SIXTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., operated the Home Depot store located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

SEVENTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., supervised the Home Depot store located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

EIGHTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., controlled the Home Depot store located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

NINTH: That at all times hereinafter mentioned, the defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., maintained the Home Depot store located at 68 Thompson Square, Monticello, County of Sullivan, State of New York.

TENTH: That it was the duty of the defendant to maintain the aforesaid premises in a safe condition for persons visiting same.

ELEVENTH: That on the 3rd day of August, 2006, while the plaintiff, SHEILA GREENBERG, was lawfully a patron at the aforementioned store, she was caused to be injured due to the negligence of the defendant.

TWELFTH: That the negligence of the defendants consisted, amongst other things, in failing to keep the aforesaid premises in a reasonably safe condition; in failing to perform proper inspections; in failing to perform proper clean-up operations; in causing and/or permitting hazardous, slippery and dangerous condition to exist at the premises aforementioned; in failing to post signs or warnings at the location aforesaid; and in otherwise being negligent in the premises.

THIRTEENTH: That the defendant actually created the condition complained of and had actual and constructive notice of the aforesaid condition prior to the occurrence herein.

FOURTEENTH: That said incident and injuries to the plaintiff were caused solely and wholly by reason of the negligence of the defendant and without any negligence on the part of the plaintiff contributing thereto.

FIFTEENTH: That this action falls within one or more of the exceptions set forth in CPLR §1602.

SIXTEENTH: That as result of the foregoing, the plaintiff was injured, both physically and mentally, in an amount which exceeds the jurisdictional limits of all lower Courts that would otherwise have jurisdiction.

AS AND FOR A SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION IN FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF, BUDDIE GREENBERG:

SEVENTEENTH: That this plaintiff repeats, reiterates, realleges and reaffirms each and every allegation contained in this complaint in paragraphs numbered "FIRST" through and including "SIXTEENTH" with the same force and effect as though fully set forth at length herein.

EIGHTEENTH: That heretofore and all the times hereinafter mentioned, this plaintiff was and still is the husband of the plaintiff, SHEILA GREENBERG, and resides with said plaintiff in a common household, and as such is entitled to the services, comfort and society of his said wife, SHEILA GREENBERG.

NINETEENTH: That by reason of the foregoing, and the wrongful, unlawful and negligent acts and omissions on the part of the defendant as aforesaid and due to the injuries sustained by the aforesaid plaintiff, SHEILA GREENBERG, this plaintiff was and will be deprived of the services, comfort and society of his said wife, the plaintiff, SHEILA GREENBERG, all to this plaintiff's damage in an amount which exceeds the jurisdictional limits of all lower Courts that would otherwise have jurisdiction.

WHEREFORE, the plaintiff, SHEILA GREENBERG, demands judgment against the defendant on her cause of action in a sum which exceeds the jurisdictional limits of all lower Courts, that would otherwise have jurisdiction and the plaintiff, BUDDIE GREENBERG, demands judgment against the defendant on his cause of action in a sum which exceeds the jurisdictional limits of all lower Courts, that would otherwise have jurisdiction, TOGETHER with interest thereon from the

3rd day of August, 2006 plus the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated: Rockville Centre, New York September 17, 2007

Yours, etc.

DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff 265 Sunrise Highway
Rockville Centre, New York 11570 (516) 763-6700

The undersigned, an attorney duly admitted to practice law in the Courts of the State of New York, hereby affirms the following pursuant to CPLR 2106:

Your affirmant is a member of the law firm of DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C., the attorneys of record for the plaintiff in the within action: your affirmant has read the foregoing SUMMONS and VERIFIED COMPLAINT and knows the contents thereof; the same is true to your affirmant's own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters your affirmant believes it to be true. This verification is made by your affirmant and not by plaintiff in that plaintiff does not reside within the county wherein the undersigned affirmant maintains his office.

The grounds of your affirmant's belief as to all matters not stated upon your affirmant's knowledge are as follows: Information and papers contained in affirmant's file and conversations with plaintiff.

Dated: Rockville Centre, New York September 17, 2007

KEITH S. DAVIDSON

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	Defendant.					
	SUMMONS AND VERIFIED COMPLAINT					
	DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiffs Office & P.O. Address 265 Sunrise Highway	:				

Attorney(s) for

Attorney Certification

Pursuant to 22 NYCRR

New York State, certicontentions contained in Pursuant to 22 NYCRR 130-1.1a, the undersigned, an attorney admitted to practice in the Courts of New York State, certifies that, upon information and belief, and after reasonable inquiry, the contentions contained in the annexed document(s) are not frivolous.

Rockville Centre, New York 11570 (516) 763-6700

Dated: September 17, 2007



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Exhibit B

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		Defendant.				
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LLP, as and for its answer, alleges as follows:						
	1. Denies info	ormation or knowle	dge sufficient to form	a belief as to the truth of		
the allegation	s set forth in pa	ragraph "1" of the V	erified Complaint.			
	2. Admits the	truth of the allega	tions set forth in para	agraph "2" of the Verified		
Complaint.						
	3. Admits the	truth of the allega	ation set forth in para	ngraph "3" of the Verified		
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the allegation	the allegations set forth in paragraph "4" of the Verified Complaint.					
	5. Denies info	ormation or knowled	dge sufficient to form	a belief as to the truth of		
he allegations set forth in paragraph "5" of the Verified Complaint.						
	6. Denies info	rmation or knowled	dge sufficient to form	a belief as to the truth of		
the allegation	s set forth in par	ragraph "6" of the V	erified Complaint.			
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- 7. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "7" of the Verified Complaint.
- 8. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "8" of the Verified Complaint.
- 9. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "9" of the Verified Complaint.
- 10. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "10" of the Verified Complaint.
- 11. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "11" of the Verified Complaint.
- 12. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of he allegations set forth in paragraph "12" of the Verified Complaint.
- 13. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "13" of the Verified Complaint.
- 14. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "14" of the Verified Complaint.
- 15. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "15" of the Verified Complaint and submits this is a question of law to be resolved by the Court.
- 16. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "16" of the Verified Complaint.
- 17. Answering paragraph "17" of the Verified Complaint, the answering defendant repeats, reiterates and realleges each and every admission, denial and denial of knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief set forth previously to paragraphs "1"

through "16" of the Verified Complaint herein, with the same force and effect as if the same were fully set forth herein at length.

- 18. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "18" of the Verified Complaint.
- 19. Denies information or knowledge sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in paragraph "19" of the Verified Complaint.

AS AND FOR A FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

20. Upon information and belief, the culpable conduct and comparative and contributory negligence of plaintiff and others contributed to and caused the liability and damages alleged.

AS AND FOR A SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

21. Upon information and belief, if plaintiff sustained any injuries or damages as alleged in the Verified Complaint, such injuries or damages were the result of the culpable conduct and/or assumption of risk by plaintiff. If found, however, that the answering defendant is liable to plaintiff herein, which liability is specifically denied, then the answering defendant alleges that, if any damages are found, they are to be apportioned among the parties according to the degree of responsibility that each is found to have for the occurrence, in proportion to the entire measure of responsibility for the occurrence.

AS AND FOR A THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

22. Upon information and belief, plaintiff failed to take any, or sufficient, action which was necessary to mitigate or minimize the damages allegedly sustained in this action.

AS AND FOR A FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

23. Upon information and belief, at all times relevant herein, plaintiff engaged in activity that plaintiff knew or should have known of the risks inherent in engaging in the dangerous, hazardous and threatening activities alleged in the Verified Complaint and hence assumed the risk of any injuries that may have been sustained as a result thereof.

AS AND FOR A FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

24. Upon information and belief, plaintiff's claims for medical, dental and/or custodial care, rehabilitation services, loss of earnings or other economic loss are subject to the provisions of Section 4545(c) of the Civil Practice Law and Rules and any and all such past or future costs or expenses which were or will be replaced or indemnified, in whole or in part, from any collateral source are not recoverable in this action.

AS AND FOR A SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

25. Upon information and belief, the alleged injuries of plaintiff, if any, were caused or contributed to, in whole or in part, by intervening and superseding causative factors and therefore the claims of plaintiff against the answering defendant should be barred.

AS AND FOR A SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

26. Upon information and belief, this action should not proceed in the absence of any entities and persons who should be parties.

AS AND FOR AN EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

27. Upon information and belief, plaintiff has failed to state a cause of action upon which relief can be granted as against this defendant.

AS AND FOR A NINTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

29. The answering defendant not being fully advised as to all of the facts and circumstances surrounding the incident complained of herein, hereby asserts and reserves

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unto itself the defenses of accord and satisfaction, arbitration and award, discharge of bankruptcy, duress, estoppel, failure of consideration, fraud, illegality, laches, license, payment, release, res judicata, Statute of Frauds, Statute of Limitations, waiver, and other matter constituting an avoidance or an affirmative defense which further investigation of this matter may prove applicable herein.

WHEREFORE, defendant HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. demands judgment dismissing the Complaint as to the answering defendant, together with costs and disbursements of this action awarded to said defendant.

Dated: New York, New York November 12, 2007

Yours, etc.,

D'AMATO & LYNCH, LLP

By:

Megan Marchick, Esq.
Attorneys for Defendant
HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC.
70 Pine Street
New York, New York 10270

(212) 269-0927

Our File No.: 434-74785

FO: Keith Davidson, Esq.
Davidson & Cohen, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
265 Sunrise Highway
Rockville Centre, New York 11570
(516) 763-6700

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ATTORNEY'S VERIFICATION

Megan Marchick, an attorney duly admitted to practice in the Courts of the State of New York, affirms the following under penalty of perjury, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- I am associated with the law firm of D'AMATO & LYNCH, LLP, the attorneys of record for defendant HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. d/b/a THE HOME DEPOT, in the within action.
- 2. I have read the foregoing VERIFIED ANSWER and know the contents thereof.
- 3. The same is true to my own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and, as to those matters, I believe them to be true.
- The reason this Verification is made by me and not by the defendant HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. is because said defendant is not within the county where I have my office.
- 5. The grounds for my belief as to all matters in the Verified Answer not stated to be upon my knowledge are based upon a review of the file and conversations with the client.

1991 NOUSUCK Megan Marchick

Dated: New York, New York November 12, 2007 Case 1:07-cv-10675-LBS Document 1 Filed 11/29/2007 Page 22 of 27

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

STATE OF NEW YORK)

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

KAREN ROSS, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

Deponent is not a party to the action, is over 18 years of age and resides in Brooklyn, New York. On November 12, 2007 deponent served the within **VERIFIED ANSWER** upon:

Keith Davidson, Esq. DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C. Office & P.O. Box Address 265 Sunrise Highway Rockville Center, NY 11570

via by depositing true copies of same in a post-paid wrapper, in an official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service within the State of New York properly addressed to said attorneys at the above addresses designated by them for that purpose.

KAREN ROSS

Affirmed before me this 12th day of November, 2007

NOTARY PUBLIC

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Notery Public, State of New York
No. 02KA4783566
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Case 1:07-cv-10675-LBS Document 1 Filed 11/29/2007 Page 23 of 27 SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF BRONX SHELIA GREENBERG and BUDDIE Index No.: 301172/07 GREENBERG, Plaintiffs, **REQUEST FOR** -against-SUPPLEMENTAL DEMAND HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., Defendant. ----- X Pursuant to Section 3017(c) of the Civil Practice Law and Rules, within 15 days from the date of the service of this Demand, you are hereby required to set forth the total damages to which plaintiffs deems themselves entitled and list same separately for each cause of action or claim. New York, New York Dated: November 12, 2007 Yours, etc., D'AMATO & LYNCH, LLP

By: Megan Marchick, Esq.
Attorneys for Defendant

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC. 70 Pine Street

New York, New York 10270 (212) 269-0927

Our File No.: 434-74785

TO: DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
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Rockville Center, NY 11570
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AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

STATE OF NEW YORK)

) ss.:

COUNTY OF NEW YORK

KAREN ROSS, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

Deponent is not a party to the action, is over 18 years of age and resides in Brooklyn, New York. On November 12, 2007 deponent served the within DEMAND FOR BILL OF PARTICULARS; DEMAND FOR EXPERT DISCLOSURE; COMBINED DEMAND FOR DISCOVERY AND INSPECTION AND PRE-TRIAL DISCLOSURE; NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITION UPON ORAL EXAMINATION; DEMAND FOR COLLATERAL SOURCE: REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTAL **DEMAND**; **DEMAND** APPEARANCES BY ATTORNEYS; DEMAND FOR NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ALL WITNESSES; DEMAND FOR INSURANCE DISCLOSURE; DEMAND FOR PRIOR PROCEEDINGS; DEMAND FOR INDEX NUMBER AND PROOF OF FILING; NOTICE FOR **DISCOVERY-RECORDS**; FOR NOTICE **DISCOVERY-AUTHORIZATIONS**; and **DEMAND FOR PHOTOGRAPHS** upon:

> Keith Davidson, Esq. DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C. Office & P.O. Box Address 265 Sunrise Highway Rockville Center, NY 11570

via by depositing true copies of same in a post-paid wrapper, in an official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service within the State of New York properly addressed to said attorneys at the above addresses designated by them for that purpose.

KAREN ROSS

Affirmed before me this

12th day of November, 2007

NOTARY PUBLIC

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Exhibit C

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JANET L.H. SMITELLI

D'Amato & Lynch, LLP 70 Pine Street New York, New York 10270-0110

Attention: Megan Marchick, Esq.

Re: Sheila Greenberg v. Home Depot USA, Inc.

File number: 434-74785

Dear Ms. Marchick:

Enclosed please find the signed stipulation on confidentiality that you recently sent to my office. In response to your request for supplemental demands, please be advised that the plaintiff, Sheila Greenberg, is claiming damages on her cause of action in the sum of \$2,000,000.00 and the plaintiff, Buddie Greenberg, is claiming damages on his cause of action in the sum of \$200,000.00. In addition, I am enclosing a copy of the index number receipt and a copy of the stamped proof of service from the County Clerk of Bronx County that the Summons was filed on September 24, 2007. Lastly, I have enclosed a copy of the affidavit of service made on your client.

Very truly yours,

DAVIDSON & COHEN, P.C.

Keith S. Davidson

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